

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Kunz et al. Confirmation No.: 1690
Application No.: 09/910,388 Art Unit: 1652
Filed: July 20, 2001 Examiner: Robinson, Hope A.
For: THERAPEUTIC INHIBITOR OF Attorney Docket No.: 10177-211-999
VASCULAR SMOOTH MUSCLE
CELLS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

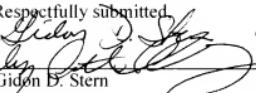
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2008 be extended for a period of one month from August 29, 2008 to and including September 29, 2008.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013

Date: September 29, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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